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by Cynthia Kleinfelter.

Notary Public



NOTICE OF OPPORTUNI-TY TO LEASE OR PARTICI-PATE IN OIL AND GAS WELL AND OF FILING OF REQUEST FOR AGENCY ACTION AND HEARING THEREON

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING, DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RE-SOURCES, STATE

OF UTAH IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST FOR AGENCY **ACTION OF BILL** BARRETT CORPO-RATION FOR AN ORDER POOLING ALL INTERESTS, INCLUDING THE COMPULSORY POOLING OF THE INTERESTS OF **CERTAIN NON-**CONSENTING OR UNLOCATABLE OWNERS, IN THE DRILLING UNIT **ESTABLISHED** FOR THE PRO-DUCTION OF OIL, GAS AND ASSOCI-ATED HYDROCAR-**BONS FROM THE** LOWER GREEN RIVER-WASATCH FORMATIONS, COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 2 SOUTH, RANGE 3 WEST, U.S.M, DUCHESNE COUNTY, UTAH Docket No. 2015-

Cause No. 139-133 BILL BARRETT CORPORATION ("BBC") TO:

1) Mega Petroleum, Inc., O'Leary Properties, Inc.,
Thomas K. Gray and
Jey Gray AS joint
tenants, Laurence
Scott Noble, Robert
D. Noble, Thomas W.
Parker;
2) CONRAD P.
GAGON, GALE B.
EVANS AND RAY
D. GAGON AS
HEIRS OR DEVISEES OF VERA H.
GAGON, MARGARET B. JONES,

A/K/A MARGARET V. JONES, NANCY MITCHELL, JOANN NELSON, AND ANY AND ALL PARTIES CLAIM-ING AS SUCCES-SORS OF LESTER HANSON AND VERA H. GAGON. AS TRUSTEES, UNDER THAT **CERTAIN TRUST** AGREEMENT DATED MARCH 18, 1963, COVERED BY THAT OIL AND GAS LEASE DATED OCTOBER 15, 1963, RECORD-**ED NOVEMBER** 20, 1963 IN BOOK MR53, PAGE 575, WHO HAVE NOT CONSENTED TO THE POOLING OF THEIR INTERESTS **INSOFAR AS SAID** LEASE COVERS THE CAPTIONED LANDS; AND

3) ANY AND

ALL PARTIES NOT

ALREADY LEASED

OR PARTICIPATING

IN THE WELL DE-

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SCRIBED BELOW AND CLAIMING OIL AND GAS OWNERSHIP IN THE CAP-TIONED DUCH-ESNE COUNTY, UTAH LANDS BY. THROUGH OR UN-DER THE ESTATES OF THE FOLLOW-ING DECEASED PARTIES: MARY A. EAVES, MAY-BELLE ARTHUR, F/K/A MABELLE HARTWELL, AND MICHAEL C. RI-

Notice is hereby given that BBC has filed a Request for Agency Action on April 10, 2015 (the "RAA") with the Utah Board of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Board") seeking: (1) the compulsory pooling of your oil and gas interest in the Captioned Lands previously established as a drilling unit in the Board's Order entered on August 11, 1971 in Cause No. 131-14, as modified by the Orders entered on April 17, 1985 in Cause No. 139-42, and entered on May 9, 2012 in Cause No. 139-90; (2) to declare you as a "nonconsenting owner" in the SA 16-25-23 Well located on said lands (the "Subject Well"); and (3) impose a nonconsent penalty of 300% of your share of the costs of staking the location, wellsite preparation, rightsof-way, rigging up, drilling, reworking, recompleting, deepening or plugging back, testing and completing the Subject Well, including the cost of equipment in the well to and including the wellhead connections, as just and reasonable compensation to the

consenting owners, subject to the payment of the average weighted fee royalty to be determined by the Board during the recovery period, among other relief. A copy of the RAA may be obtained from the Board's Secretary (1594 W. North Temple, Suite 1210, Salt Lake City, UT 84116).

Additionally, notice is hereby given that the Board will conduct a hearing on the RAA on Wednesday, May 27, 2015 at 9:00 a.m., or as soon as possible thereafter, in the Auditorium of the Department of Natural Resources, 1594 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, The hearing will be conducted as a formal administrative adjudication in accordance with the rules of the Board as set forth in Utah Administrative Code Rules R641 et seq. as provided for by Utah Code Ann. § 63G-4-101 through 601. This Notice is being published pursuant to an Order of the Board and in accordance with the Board's procedural rules.

You should contact Timothy Bandy, Landman at BBC, 1099 - 18th Street, Suite 2300. Denver, CO 80202, Telephone: (303) 312-8721, regarding the opportunity: (1) to lease your interest in the Captioned Lands if you are currently an unleased oil and gas owner; (2) to consent to the pooling of your interest covered by the 1963 Oil and Gas Lease granted by Lester Hanson and Vera H. Gagon, as Trustees; or (3) to participate as a working interest owner by entering a joint operating agreement and by paying your proportionate share of the costs of drilling and completing the Subject Well.

Failure to respond , to the RAA or to participate in the Subject Well by entering into a lease, consenting to the pooling of your leased interest, or by paying your share of the drilling and completing costs for a well, will result in you being deemed a non-consenting owner, and therefore, subject to force pooling and a possible non-consent penalty of up to 300% that may be imposed by the Board at the May 27, 2015 hearing. Objections to the

RAA shall be filed with the Secretary of the Board at the address indicated above and served upon BBC's counsel identified below no later than May 11, 2015. Objections filed later may be considered by the Board at or before the regularly scheduled hearing for good cause shown. A party must file a timely written objection or other response in order to participate as a party at the Board hearing. Natural persons may appear and represent themselves before the Board. All other representation by parties before the Board will be by attorneys licensed to practice law in the State of Utah, or attorneys licensed to practice law in another jurisdiction which meets the rules of the Utah State Bar for practicing before the Utah courts. Attorney representation may be waived by the Board upon petition and good cause shown. Persons interested in this matter may participate pursuant to the procedural rules of the Board, A party who fails to attend or participate in the hearing may be held in default.

Please govern yourself accordingly. Dated this 16th day of April, 2015. MacDONALD & **MILLER** MINERAL LE-GAL SERVICES, PLLC By: /ss/ Relma M. Miller, Esq. 7090 S. Union Park Avenue, Suite Midvale, UT 84047 Telephone: (801) 676-0050 Facsimile: (801) 676-0051 E-mail: relma@ macmillerlegal.com Attorneys for Petitioner Bill Barrett

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